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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. ____**

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A RESOLUTION honoring West Lafayette, Indiana.

Whereas, West Lafayette has been ranked by Forbes magazine as the sixth most educated small city in the United States. It is the top city listed that is not located on the East Coast or in California;

Whereas, The rankings were based on education levels of residents older than 25 in communities with populations between 20,000 and 65,000;

Whereas, Mayor John Dennis credits Purdue University, Purdue Research Park, the public school system, and the "incredible amount of diversity" as factors in the city's ranking;

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Whereas, The sixth place ranking helps to make West Lafayette a more desirable place to live, work, and go to school, and is a good recruiting tool that will continue to draw in intelligent people; and

Whereas, Special accomplishment such as this deserves special recognition: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives
- 2 congratulates West Lafayette, Indiana, on its ranking by Forbes
- 3 magazine as the sixth most educated small city in the United States and
- 4 urges the city and its residents to continue to set their goals high.
- 5 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 6 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Mayor John
- 7 Dennis and Purdue University.

